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TELEGRAPHIC.

ABSCONDED WITH THOUSANDS. CHICAGO, Sept. 27 .- I. N. Morganstein cretary of the Polish National Allowance and Endowment Insurance Organization, is reported to-night as having absconded with about \$6000 of the company's funds. He is also secretary of two Polish building associations, and fears have been expressed that they are also The amount of money that he has taken with him is estimated as high as

\$12,000. This represents mostly savings of very poor people. TWO TRAINS WRECKED. PALATINE BRIDGE, N. Y., Sep. 27 .- St. Louis express No. 5, which left Albany at 10 o'clock last night, met with a bad ccident about two miles east of here about midnight. The first section broke down and stopped for repairs. The rear brakeman was sent back to signal the econd section, but it was upon him before he had taken a half-dozen steps. The first section was made up of a baggage, mail, express and three passenger cars, packed with people, and a Wagner sleeper on the end.

section telescoped the first section, knock-ing out the lights and plunging every-Up to this hour (2 A. M.), four bodies have been taken out of the sleeper, and it is feared that the total number of deaths will run up to twenty-five and possibly more, as the car was full. It is difficult to get particulars at this hour. GERONIMO'S BAND.

The crash was terrific. The second

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 27.—Some days ago, Secretary of War Proctor wrote to Governor Folls in regard to the proposed removal of Geronimo and his band of Indians to Western North Carolina. Today Governor Folle wrote a reply. He says that such a settlement of the Indians in North Carolina would create a great disseatisfaction, particularly if the location should be in the western portion of the state on the lands to be purchase from the Cherokee Indians, as proposed

by the secretary of war. These lands the governor says are not reservation lands, but were bought from the Cherokees, who are now decreasing in numbers and will soon die, and the lands will then be settled by white peo

The governor, in conclusion, suggests to Secretary Proctor that the Indians be colonized in Vermont, in the portions of that state now being abandoned by white people. The governor informs the secretary that no happier spot could be chosen

negroes became very much enraged and threatened to lynch Maxwell, and a messenger was sent to this city for men to protect him. The sheriff has sent out a large posse.
A train has just arrived fram the Pratt mines crowded with women and children fleeing from theis homes for fear ot as-

this city and the mines. The conductor of the train reports that there are several hundred armed negroes assembled. RIOTOUS DEMONSTRATIONS. ALBANY, Or., Sept. 27 .- Several days le over a row between a citizen and "Holiness" revivalist who have been holding meetings at that place, conducted by W. T. Ellis, the latter being arrested for creating the disturbance. This after-noon Sheriff Smallmon received a long dispatch, detailing the riotous conduct of a howling mob which appeared upon the streets of that usually quiet town last night at one o'clock. It is alleged that the crowd were masked, and were nois?, and fired off revolvers in all directions, scaring women and childred, threatening to kill, and tearing down gates, etc. The

mob finally weut to the Tabernacle, where the so-called religious meetings are held, tore down the door and fearfully pounded up two men named Taylor, and did many other riotous things. SALEM NEWS ITEMS. SALEM, Or., Sept. 27 .- Superintendent Downing, of the Oregon penitentiary, is in receipt of advices from a member of he prison board of West Virginia, stating that two lazy convicts in that institution had cut off their hands to avoid work. They had read of the three convicts in the Oregon penitentiary who had performed similar amputations, and showed their admiration by imitation. The self-am-

outators are to be put at hard labor as oon as they recover. A NEW TARIFF SCHEME, BALTIMORE, Sept. 27 .- Appraiser Shar the treasury his report, in reply to a request for a compilation of the best features of the three tariff bills presented to

congress.

It recommends the protection of home dustries, but urges that raw material and goods not indigenous to the United States should be admitted free, especially when they do not interfere with home industries, as wool, tin, salt and lumber. the domestic article to compete with the fereign, it should be free, as the high cost limits the production of raw wool here. If it is free, the mixed tariff of the senate raw wool is to remain, a mixed tariff is indispensible and there must be a pound duty on raw wool, together with an ad valorem duty on manufactured articles.

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 29 .- A fire, supposed to have been incendary, this after-noon destroyed the finest business block in this city, entailing a loss of \$300,000, with insurance about \$150,000. The fire started in the uncompleted building owned by J. M. Bowers, and owing to high winds, spread through the whole block, wiping out the most extensive stores in town and one bank. The prin-

cipal losses are.

D. J. Hennessey Mercantile Company.
loss \$125,000; insurance, \$80,000. First National bank, \$18,000; the books of the bank are safe in the vaults. Kahnwielers, dry goods, \$35,000; in-surance, \$5000. Bonner Merchantile Company, damage,

\$65,000, principally by water; fully insured. A number of others suffered

railroad traffic is greatly impeded. Heavy storms are reported on the Palenque and Guatemaian frontier.

DEATH OF GENERAL STURGIS. St. Paul, Sept. 29.—General Samuel J. Sturgis, U. S. A., retired, died yesterday. He graduated from West Point in 1846, and served with distinction through the Mexican war, civil war and Indian campaigns in the Northwest,

THE BEHRING SEA DISPUTE. LONDON, Sept. 29-Lord Salisbury Ital instructed Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British minister at Washington, to con-Blaine in reference to the discussion of the Behring sea dispute. Negotiations are to proceed quietly and continuously and inquiry is to be carefully pursued in to the question of Canadian compensation for the seizure of vessels belonging to Canada in the waters in contention. No immediate pressure, however, is to be exercised upon the government at Washington with regard to settling the uternational question involved and noth

ing like a formal demand for a speed conclusion of the affair is to be allowed. The line of action which has been decided upon by Lord Salisbury, is based on his expectation that Secretary Blaine, who is just now hampered by the lease of the Alaska Sealing and Fishing company, will be more ready to accord what England regards as a just settlement of the dispute upon the approaching expiration of the company's lease. When that occurs it is expected that the British

CIVIL SERVICE LAW VIOLATED. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The Post will morrow publish a story, editorially, in which it charges the civil service com nissioners under the Cleveland admini tration with persistently violating the law, and asserts its ability to prove the charge before a congressional investigating committee. It charges that threefourths of the clerks employed by the commission were not required to pass the examination, that one of the clerks gave out or sold the examination papers, and that the matter was brought to the attention of President Cleveland by Commis ioner Oberly, but was hushed up for reasons personal to Commissioner Lyman. A MONTANA MURDER.

while running at a high rate of speed HELENA, Mont., Sept. 29 .- A fata stabbing affray occurred at Jay Gould, near Helena, at an early hour this morning. Frank Duffy, a justice of the peace and John Glenndening, an amalagamator quarreled over an old grudge in a saloon row. Finally the justice struck Glendening and the men clinched. The former secured an advantage, when the latter BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 27.-J. T. drew a pocket knife and stabbed Duffy Maxwell, a deputy sheriff, killed a negro in the shoulder blade and then inflicted woman at the Pratt mines to-day. The an ugly wound in his abdomen that will an ugly wound in his abdomen that will probably prove fatal. While Glenndening the death of his victim.

HONORS TO AN EX QUEEN. BELGRADE, Sept. 29 .- Ex-Queen Nata lie arrived here to-day. Her presence was totally ignored by the government officials, but she was received most enthusastically by crowds that thronged the streets through which she passed. The reception was spontaneous, and the enthusiasm of the people was indes cribable. It is estimated there were 50, 000 persons in the streets. After the brilliant triumphal progress to her residence the ex-queen was obliged to appear on a balcony to respond to the multitude.

This evening the city was illuminated, and throngs of citizens were in the streets singing the national bymn. The Russian minister and all attaches of the Russian embassy visited the ex-queen, remaining half a hour The palace gates were closed during the day and guarded by

POVERTY STRICKEN ITALY. Dublin, gept. 29 .- Archbishop Hogue, Catholic primate of Ireland, preaching in Armagh cathedral to-day referred in the strongest terms to Italy's treatment of the pope. He declared the Italian peasantry were over taxed, and in a worse condition than the Donegal and Connemari peasants; that the Italians were emigrating faster than the Irish, and that the Italian government had encircled the Vatican with troops, knowing if the pope departed the grass would soon grow in the streets of Rome.

ANCTHER TOWN GONE. SAN LUIS OBIPO, Sept. 30.—The town of Cambria in the Notri western part of this county was almost wholly destroyed by fire this morning.

A special to the Tribune gives the following account. At 2:30 this morning a fire started in the Proctor botel. The cause is unknown. The flames spread rapidly, and in half an hour the entire block was a mass of fire. Little water was at hand, and there was no service whatever, and there was no means of ar-resting the spreading flames. Building after building caught, and in spite of all was nothing left which could be destroy ed, not even a shed. All the busines portion of Cambria was wiped out. Th buildings being entirely of wood, the destruction was so rapid that there was no even time to get out their contents Hardly anything was saved, and the town is destitute. No lives were lost. The total loss is about \$125,000. The insurance is about \$120,000. The postoffice and telegraph office were destroyed.

RAILROAD LAND SALES. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30-W. H. Mills. and agent of the Central Pacific and Northern division of the Southern Pacific Company, states that land sales of the land department of the Southern Pacific Company for June, July and August amounted to \$100,000 a month, an average greater than the former averages by

the year. The average prices obtained were also higher than ever before. SALEM, Sept. 30 .- Last week P. H. yer, who made complaint as a citizen and a taxpayer, made application to Judge Boise for a temporary order against the secretary of state, restraining him until the case could be heard, from issuing warrents to the railroad commission-ers elected by the legislature in payment of their salaries, because their bonds had not been approved by him, as the till re-quired, before entering upon their duties. Judge Boise refused to grant the order, on the ground that he doubted the authority THE TACOMA SOLD.

TACOMA, Sept. 29.—A deal has been practically consumated by which the whole property of the Tacoma hotel has been sold to Nelson Bennett, on behalf of been sold to Nelson Bennett, on behalf of commenced by Governor Pennoyer, to commence of the commissioners to office.

disgruntled guest had been in the habit of making a long complaint by letter to him, and as he was getting old and was not in good health, he desired to sell out.

A LAWYER'S GUILT.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 29.—Lawyer Billings was to-day again found guilty of the death of handsome young W. L. Kingsley, the alleged paramour of Billings's wife. This was the second trial. A verdict was rendered of murder in the second degree with the penalty of impris-

Many families have sought refuge in the former convent of Saint Francis. All bors of the country, and the amounts allowed to the various sections and states Since the government has undertaken the improvement of the rivers and barbors on the Pacific coast, the total amount of money granted there for improvements has been \$7,681,989. Oregon

as received the most of this money, with alifornia next, and Washington Terriory last, with comparatively a small sum. The total amount appropriated for Oregon improvements is \$4,156,312. The appropriation of 1888, \$2,173,700, is the

The following are the total amounts granted for the improvement of rivers Cascades canal, Columbia river, \$927.

Columbir river, \$837,000. Upper Columbia river, including Snak rer, \$116,000. Mouth of Columbia river, \$500,000. Coos bay and harbor, \$213,750. Coquille river, \$75,000.

low Portland, \$620,000. Umpqua river, \$24,501. Upper Columbia river, \$105,000. Upper Willamette river, above Port and, \$153,500. Willamette river, \$186,365. Yaquina bay, 395,000.

Gauging the waters of the Columbia iver, \$2500. It was not until 1866 that the government commenced work on the rivers and harbors of Oregon, the original appro-priation of \$15,000 having been "for the removal of obstructions to navigation in the Willamette river between Portland

and its mouth." The territory of Washington cannot boast of much in river and harbor improvements, neither in their number nor in the amount expended. Indeed the total sum which has been appropriated is only \$78,500, and it was not until 1880 that congress commenced even these The following are the sums allowed for

this class of improvements in Washing ton territory: Chehalis river, \$10,000 Cowlitz river, \$11,000; Stillaguamish, Skagit, Nooksack, Snohomish and Snoqualmie rivers, \$57,500. A RAILWAY COLLISION. Rome, Sept. 30 .- Two express trains running in opposite directions, between Naples and Foggia, came in collission

through a tunnel. Twenty carriages mashed and fifty persons were killed and injured. A BOY KILLED SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—Francisco Wagner, employed as an errand boy by W. F. Bowers & Co., on Market street, was instantly killed this afternoon by falling down an elevater shaft. He attempted to jump on the elevator without having it stopped, but miscalculating the distance, missed and fell to the basement

THE KLAMATH RIVER DAM SACRAMENTO, Sept. 30.—Deputy Fish Commissioner F. B. Callundan, of San Francisco, returned to-day from the Klamath river, where he was directed by the outrageous destruction of salmon at the dam of the Columbia River Improvement and Milling Company. He report-ed that the wholesale destruction of fish had been stopped and that he arrested seven fishermen at the dam on a charge of catching salmon out of season. Next day after Callundan reached the dam the day after Callundan reached the dam the owners of it erected a fishway, as ordered by the fish commissioner. No trouble is apprehended hereafter at this place.

KILLED ON THE TRACK. by the fish commissioner. No trouble is apprehended hereafter at this place.

KILLED ON THE TRACK. WALLA WALLA, Sept. 30 .- This even ing a stranger named Erickson, who has lately been working on the Hunt road, while stealing a ride on an O. & W. T, freight train fell under the wheels at Rtverside station, cutting both legs off below the knee. A special brought him to

WALLA WALLA, Sept. 26.—Wednesday morning while Mrs. Kitchen, living on Dry Creek, a few miles from this city, was raking up and burning trash in the yard, she discovered that her undergarments had caught fire. She quickly took a blanket, which she wrapped about her lower limbs and crouched on the ground, hoping to smother the flames. Finding this did not accomplish the result she seized a cloth lying near and wrapped it about her face and head, and tried to tear her clothing off, without effect, her clothing burning completely off. No one witnessed the accident except some small childrer, whose screams aroused a man who was in the barn, and who immediately ran to the scene and found the lady on the ground in intense agony, with her clotting burned completely off, with the exception of one stocking, also on fire. He carried her to the house and immediately summoned assistance from the neighborhood. A horseman was dis-patched to the city for a physician, and when he arrived he found that the entire surface of her body had been burned nearly to a crisp. The flesh in places is cooked as hard as leather, after dressing this city for treatment. Mr. Kitchen at the time was in the mountains after wood. Mrs. Kitchen 18 very low, but her chances of recovery are Daily Journal, 26th-Mrs. Kitchen died

to day at 12 m., and will be buried to-

An Anecdote of Lincoln.

cently, on "Personal Reminiscences of Abraham Lincoln," related one story which, said be, he had himself told to Lincoln, and which the latter used on several occasions, on two of which he had been interrupted before he had got to the point, "and" said the artist, "if there was anything which annoyed Mr. Lincoln it was this. It caused him to always remember the man from whom he got the story. The story was of a Missouri man who went to a stable to get a horse to take him to a convention to which he was going as a delegate with a hope of nomination. The stable keeper was of a nomination. The stable keeper was of a different persuasion and gave him a horse which he calculated would break down before he got there. His calculation proved true, and the man lost the nomination. On his return to the stable the dissapointed Missourian asked the stable corpse to the cemetary in time for the

the loss was on household goods and building material consigned to a large number of persons.

A verdict was rendered of murder in the second degree with the penalty of imprisonment for at least ten years.

A FLOOD IN MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 29.—The city of Belaya is almost entirely inundate i,

ITEMS IN BRIEF. From Saturday Daily.

Mr. Wood Gilman, of Fossil, is Mrs. F. N. Hill is visiting friends i Portland. The atmosphere is somewhat cloudy, and

here is every indication of rain. Mr. John Lewis left on the afternoon train to-day on a visit to Portland There are prospects of several new brick buildings for business purposes being erect ed the coming season. This is the last day of the fair, and stree

fakirs and catch-penaies will be packing their traps and leaving. So mote it be. Tom Lewis, a manipulator of pasteboards, was arrested by Marshal Gibons yesterday. He is wanted in Astoria for forgery, and will leave for that city to-morrow morning. Another individual, for selling liquor to Indians, was deprived of his liberty yester-day. He was turned over to the deputy day. He was turned over to the deputy U. S. marshal, and will be taken to Port Lower Willamette and Columbia rive

land to-morrow. The criminal calendar at Tacoma include three murder trials, that of F. E. Clark, charged with the murder of Annie Dickinson; David E. Lattin, murder of C. C. Grant, and Burgess, who killed his squaw

W. W. Journal: Two houses belonging to W. H. Schmidt, six miles west of Pilot Rock, were destroyed by fire about 10 o'clock Sunday night. The families escaped with the clothes they had on, but that was all. Baker Reveille: A heavy snowfall in Mon-

tana has put out the forest fires that have been raging in the mountains for six weeks, and saved several mining towns from destruction. The timber in the burned section was the finest in Montana, and none of Oregon City Enterprise: Last week the neighborhood of Gresham was engaged in fighting forest fires, an aged man by the name of Rugg being one of the party.

smoke was very dense and prevented him from seeing a falling tree which struck and The First Eastern Oregon District Agriultural society will convene in Baker City Oct. 8th. There is every indication of it being a very successful exhibition as a great deal of interest is manifested by the citizens deal of interest is manifested by the citizens directly interested. The Baker City papers have a two-column advertisement of the

Mr. I. H. Taffe called upon us this morning and informed us that instead of stopping the channel of the river he has blasted it out and improved it so that fish can pass up. He has done everything possible to increase the run of salmon instead of decreasing it, and has spent thousands of dollars for this purpose. Those boys who lay around the bluff above the east end of Third street, and an-

Loy some of the decent citizens with their vile language, will be looked after by the police, if their parents don't take them in charge. It is no excuse that their parents the ranges of between Baker City, Oregon, and Shoshone, Ida., for shipment to Scattle. should make it their business to know where The price paid was two cents a pound, gallons of water was put on the track, and neir boys are and what they are doing. We saw Mr. Joel Koontz, of Five Mile, this morning driving into the city. One pants leg was in his boot and the other out. He had lost his hat and presented a strange appearance. He could neither laugh, sing nor whistle. Ws were amazed at his bewilderent.

E. O.: Bids were opened by Commissioners Sargent and Keeney Monday for the construction of the remaining division of the Long creek wagon road, Umatilla county. One, that of R. W. Case at \$360 for the Meadow creek division, extending from the

Union: At 11:30 Tuesday night, Mrs. Stella A. Blalock, wife of Dr. Y. C. Blalock, died after an illness of about ten days. Mrs. Blalock was born in Owensbury, Kentucky, in 1865, and was, consequently, in her 25th year at the time of her death. She came verside station, cutting both legs off below the knee. A special brought him to this city, but he died on the way up. An inquest will be held to-morrow.

A Woman of Nerve.

year at the time of her death. She came to the northwest section in 1874 with her parents, and for a greater portion of the time has resided in Walla Walla. She had been married three years on January 1, 1889, but leaves no children to mourn her loss. Mrs. Blalock was an estimable lady, full of kindness and vivacity, and her early

death will be regarded as a calamity by large circle of friends. At the contest ye sterday after noon between The Dalles and Golden ale brass bands the judges failed to agree, and the decision was left to the referee, Mr. E. N. Chandier, who, at the promenade concert last eyening gave the following decision: Goldendale band, first, attack, 10; second, tune, 10; third, style, 8; fourth, time, 10; fifth, harmony, 10. Total, 48. Third Regiment O. N. G. band: First, attack, 10; second, tune, 10; third, style, 10: fourth, second, tune, 10; third, style, 10; fourth, time, 9; fifth, harmony, 10. Total, 49. This secured the first prize to the Third Regiment O. N. G. band, \$150; second, Goldendale band, \$190.

Vancouver Register: On Wednesday last the president appointed Mr. Scott Swetland, of this city, receiver of the United States land office at Vancouver, vice John O'Keane, whose term of office expired a few weeks since. Mr. Swetland is chairman of the since. Mr. Swetland is chairman of the Clarke county Republican committee and a member of the state committee, and was extensively endorsed for the position by leading Republicans of both Washington and Oregon. Mr. Swetland was for several years in the employ of the Vancouver Transportation Co., where he developed excellent clerical ability. The appointment meets with satisfaction here. Mr. Swetland is thoroughly competent and will make a

The contracts for the telegraph line from let, says the Oregonian. The shore line has been awarded to the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph company, of San Francisco, for \$95 per mile. The cable will be supplied by John M. Cline, of San Francisco, for 16½ cents per foot, delivered at Astoria. The cable will be laid by the Manzanita and the government is going to get a cheap line. One person bid very low for the shore line and high for the cable, and an-other low for the cable and high for the shore line, and Major Handbury took the cheap bids on each, to the disgust of both contractors. The line will be completed in

sbout sixty days. From Monday's Daily. Mr. B. E. Snipes is in the city. To-morrow tells the tale in Washingto

Mr. W. C. Tarlton, of Antelope, is in the

The New Atlas says Malheur county without a physician. The Liaho conference of the Methodis Mr. and Mrs. Spicer are very sick with typhoid fever at their residence in this city.

The new school house is rapidly approach-ing completion, and will soon be the habita-tion of the "young idea." Mr. Ray Davis, porter in the grocery de-partment of Messrs McFarland & French's store, is very sick with typhoid pneumonia Deputy-Sheriff Cates had considerable trouble in finding a jury in a justice case to-day; but he got it after several attempts. And dealer in

Fish, Fruits, Vegetables, Provisions, Etc

OATS,

BARLEY,

The Oregonian correspondent to-night, while taked that the hotel, while profitable, had been a source of great annoyance to Mr. C. B. Knight, as every disgruntled guest had been in the habit port. Townsend, entailing a loss of \$15. soldiers in camp.

> been missing from Union for three years past is still in the land of the living. This s very improbable. A refreshing shower of rain fell Saturday dight and also last night. This was suffi-cient to dampen the ground and give an impetus to the young grass.

outlook of that country regarding lumber- and a schemer of the deepest dye. So says ing facilities. He speaks very flatteringly of the prospects of Mess. Borthwick & Frame, at Hunter's Point. We have received the first number of the

vocates the defeat of the constitution. A lamp in the basement of Mr. L. Rorde & Co's store fell Friday, causing a small conflagration for a few minutes, but the proprietor smothered the incipient blaze with his coat.

Sixteen carloads of sheep were shipped from the stockyards of Larsen & Saltmarshe yesterday morning. There were 4000 of them, well fed, and they were destined for Pete Sullivan, who was convicted of murder in the first degree, at the recent ression of circuit court held at Canyon City,

has been sentenced to hang on November 15th at 2 o'clock p. m. Chieftain:Last Saturday evening a slight welcome, and on Sunday morning when the grand Wallowa mountains appeared,

count of inability to get pig iron. A ship load has been awaiting transportation at Tacoma, but the North Pacific railroad has been too busy booming Yakima, to ship been too busy booming Yakima, to ship building material for this city. Since the last meeting of congress five congressmen have died—J. M. Burns, of Missouri, R. W. Townsend, of Illinois, E. J. Gay, of Louisiana, James Laird, of Nebraska, and S. S. Cox, of New York, tour

democrats and one republican. No change in the political situation will occur. Salem Journal: About noon, as the south ound train was within a mile of Turner, it ran into a band of sheep, killing and wounding together about 100 head, and slightly injuring the engineer, Joe Clark. The engine was ditched and turned up-side down, and the tender was thrown across the track, also two cattle cars and two passenger

Vale Atlas: Miss Lynn, a young lady from Iowa, arrived here Saturday and went up the road Monday to Beulah, where she was met by Al. Worthington of valley; the pair were married at Drewsey yesterday. Bud Johnson, who fathers this item, says this is one of the glorious results of the Heart and Hand matrimonial bureau, and he thinks of trying it on himself. Yesterday was the 85th birthday Father Harman, and on that occasion the old gentleman's heart was made glad by the presence of some friends. Mrs. O. D. Doane, his daughter, prepared the birthday dinner, and this was complete even to the plum pudding. Mr. Harman has been con-

fined to his room by the infirmities of age for months; but he is always pleasant and The Pocatello Republican says: 'The wholesale butchering firm of Frye & Co., Seattle, has bought 3500 beef steers from This firm slaughters about 500 beeves a month, and at these prices should furnish races. the Seattle sufferers cheap beef.

John Snell, a colored convict from Multnomah county, Tuesday morning performed self-amputation of the third and middle fingers of his left hand. He did it to avoid work. He placed his fingers on a board, and with one stroke of the batchet in his right hand. He is in for assault with a Hush, you will awake the haby. It is a girl and weighs nine pounds. Mother doing well, father not expected to live. dangerous weapon, and was sentenced from Portland for five years, one of which he has served. He is a stout hearty fellow, and he only reason he did it was to avoid work.

> New buildings are still being erected every part of the city. King county, Wash., will produce 15,000 Mr. John Lewis returned from The cornices are being placed on Mr. The late rains have placed the ground Repairs are being made to the

From Tuesday's Dally Mechanics are still waiting for lime.

and atreet crossings in the city. Justice Thompson's time was yesterday in hearing a civil case. The showers during the present week in sures a good growth of fall grass. Our city enjoys quietness after the onsequent upon the fair last week. A refreshing shower of rain last night makes the air very balmy and invigorating. Mr. W. L. Bradshaw arrived in the city at noon from attending court at McMinn-

The west-bound passenger train was on schedule time to-day, something very un-Several of our citizens are replenishing their wood piles in anticipation of the com-Waitsburg. Hunt is pushing his road in all directions in Oregon and Washington. Pasco is booming itself for the capital of the new state. If it succeed, it will illus-The Salem state fair took in about \$18,000 this year. The \$5000 from the state will allow the association a chance to come out something ahead.

At a depth of one hundred and fifty feet the drill used at the artesian well at Farmresult of the last heat. It is evident that Articles of incorporation of the Deschutes Lumber Manufacturing Co., office at Prine-ville, Crook county, have been filed with the secretary of state. A survey of the obstructions in the chan-nel of the Columbia river above Port Eaton is being made by the government for the

purpose of removing the same.

To-day is voting day in Washington.
Location of state capital, woman suffrage,
Republican or Democratic officials will be
decided by the sovereign people. Rev. G. W. Booth, the presiding elder for this district, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday night by reason of the sickness of the pastor. Several persons passed through the city yesterday en route to Washington City. Among whom were Hons. R. P. Earhart, T. McF. Patton and D. M. McKercher.

A tarmer living in the second sec

A tarmer living in the Deer Creek country, near Spokane Falls, suddenly decamped last week leaving merchants in Farmington losers to the amount of seyeral hundred Several members of Friendship Lodge, No. 9, K. of P. will leave during the week or the first part of the coming week, for Astoris, to be in attendance on the grand

Branch banks will be established in Ta-

A band of hogs at the stockyards of Messrs. Larsen & Saltmarshe, from the east, have developed hog cholera of a most malignant type. We understand thirty have died already. Mrs. James Leary, last evening, in coming down the hill from the upper bench fell and suffered a severe fracture of the limb, Dr. Hollister was called and attended to Mr. P. W. DeHuff, chief engineer of the steamboat division of the O. R. & Co., says

East Oregonian: Pendleton has a citizen who deserves the champion belt for econ-omy. He owns several houses, all of which he rents while he lives with his two children

Hon. T. L. Stiles, candidate for supres judge in Washington, emphatically denies that he ever embezzled or misappropriated Pasco Pilot, a new paper published at that one cent of any funds entrusted to his care city. It is Democratic in politics, and adas assignce of the bankrupt estate of Hudson & Co. in Tueson, Arizona. Astoria Pioneer: Mrs. Malcolm, a lady who was formerly in business in this city, but is at present engaged in the real estate

the Pendleton E. O.

business at Spokane Falls, writes to be brother, Rob. Carruthers, in Astoria that she has made \$35,000 clear since locating in of in a live town can accomplish in these mod Mr. Canuto, the contractor, met with severe accident yesterday by being struck by a piece of scantling which was thrown

from an upper story of one of the new buildings by some careless carpenter. He was struck on the head receiving a severe cut and thrown violently to the ground cuthower of rain fell. It was more than ting his face in a frightful manner. The wounds are not at all serious. A drummer in Albany tells the Der inobscured by smoke and covered with a light coat of snow, the scene was complete to all Wallowans.

State Register: All the moulders of the Ellensburgh foundry have laid off on account of inability to get pug iron. A ship count of inability to get pug iron. A ship count of inability to get pug iron. A ship count of inability to get pug iron.

> Albina Courier: So many false reports in regard to the opening of the big railway machine shops have been circulated by the Courier that it is with some timidity that we announce the fact that at last the machinery is actually in motion and the works chinery is actually in motion and the works have permanently opened, It has been done quietly and unostentationsly as rail-ways are in the habit of dong things, but it has nevertheless been done. Smoke now issues daily from the huge chimney and will continue to issue without cessation. And while every one is glad, we cannot but recognize the fact that hope long deferred quells the exhuberance that might be expected to follow its realization.

THE DISTRICT FAIR.

During the Day.

From Saturday's Daily. Upon arriving on the grounds this morn ing we found Mr. A. M. Allen busily engaged in the discharge of his duties, but he always has a moment to furnish your reporter with any news that has come to his knowledge that may be of interest to the public. Last night some of the bulls got oose and a pitched battle ensued. Some of the animals that took first premiums came out second best in this contest. Mr. P. T. ceeded in getting the animals into their

A wrestling match will take place at 10 o'clock between Phil Sexton, of Kingsley, and Frank Woodcock, of Warnie settle ment, for a purse of \$200. They will wrestle aide holds, three best in five falls. lovely weather never has been known

We wish to thank the superintendents of and considerable interest was manifested.
The first fall was decided a draw. The
next fall Sexton had left hand under holds

of Sexton, giving him the two best in three of Sexton, giving him the two best in three and the purse.

A jumping match between W. S. Woodcock, of Dufur, and Jas. Brown, of Tygh Valley, for a purse of \$20. Three jumps in succession, two best out of three. Brown jumped first, and Woodcock jumped three times after this but could not get up within a foot, and Brown took the money.

This after-noon trotting race No. 9 will be concluded. It will be remembered that they stopped the race last night, after Fautasie had two heats, Hero two, and Velox one. Pools are now seiling, Fanta-sie at \$10, Hero \$5, and Velox \$3. This broke at the first turn, which gave Velox the pole, and three lengths in the lead; at the pole, and three lengths in the lead, at the three-quarter post Fantasie was up to Velox, with Hero ten yards behind. Fan-tansie broke again and lost a length. De-cision. Velox first, Fantasie second and

cision, Velox first, Fantasic second and Hero third. Time 301/2. The time shows that the drivers were driving to win. Each horse now has two heats, and the next will decide the contest. The pools are selling irregularly, but average Fantasie \$1, Velox \$9 and Hero \$5. This the 8th heat Velox will have the pole, Fantasie 2d and Hero 3d. This heat was the all interesting heat of the race and resulted as follows: Velox 1st, Fantasie 2d and Hero 3d. This gives the race to Velox. Time of last heat, 2:34. The horses trotted quite evenly and Velox won by a length. Hero was two lengths behind Fantasie.

that was made before, but this could Trotting race No. 12 is the next race heats, best three in five. Purse There are two horses in the race. got the pole and Nervissa 2d. Nervissa soon took the pole and held it to the end of the race, winning the heat in 3:01½. Pools have been selling \$20 on Nervissa to \$4 on Anita. Neither horse broke during the heat, Nervissa came in a length about

There is much dissatisfaction over the

a length ahead. There are not many visitors on the grounds to-day, and the trotting race is of little interest to those present. He race has been made two best in three, and the the race. Time, 3:06½.

The next is a half mile dash of four running horses, and comes on immediately.
Monty Sharp gets the pole, Bodie second,
Kife third, and Jack Swift fourth. This

race is a sweepstake of \$15 each, and the society adds \$50, aggregating \$110.

The contestants are all local horses.

Kife is the favorite at the pool boxes, and The race was run in 53 seconds, Kife 1 st, Monty Sharp 2d, Jack Swift 3d, and Bodie coma on statehood being assumed by Washington by the banks of Montreal and British Columbis, two institutions with immense capital.

A band of hogs at the stockyards of races may profit by the experience, as some an enjoyable one, and all seem to be well pleased. Our duties as reporter for the occasion have ceased, and we lay down the pencil with many wishes of success for agricultural fair.

boating on Snake river is stopped for this bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, feve-season. The water is one foot lower than ever recollected.

She The cow roameth at large no more. She must chew her cud in loneliness, and not prowl around gardens and back doors. The ordinance passed the council last night, and will be rigidly enforced.

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